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§ 2.406 Requests for authenticated copies of EPA documents.

Requests for authenticated copies of EPA documents for purposes of admissibility under 28 U.S.C. 1733 and Rule 44 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure will be granted for documents which would otherwise be released pursuant to subpart A. For purposes of Rule 44 the person having legal custody of the record is the cognizant Assistant Administrator, Regional Administrator, Staff Office Director or Office Director or his designee. The advice of the Office of General Counsel should be obtained concerning the proper form of authentication.

PART 3—EMPLOYEE RESPONSIBILITIES AND CONDUCT

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3.100 Cross-reference to employee ethical conduct standards and financial disclosure regulations.

3.101 Waiver of certain financial interests.

AUTHORITY: 5 U.S.C. 7301 and 18 U.S.C. 208(b)(2).

SOURCE: 61 FR 40503, Aug. 2, 1996, unless otherwise noted.

§ 3.100 Cross-reference to employee ethical conduct standards and financial disclosure regulations.

Employees of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) should refer to the Standards of Ethical Conduct for Employees of the Executive Branch at 5 CFR part 2635, the EPA regulations at 5 CFR part 6401 that supplement those standards, and the Executive Branch financial disclosure regulations at 5 CFR part 2634.

§ 3.101 Waiver of certain financial interests.

- (a) The prohibition of 18 U.S.C. 208(a) may be waived by general regulation. Financial interests derived from the following have been determined to be too remote or too inconsequential to affect the integrity of employee's services, and employees may participate in matters affecting them:
- (1) Mutual funds (including tax-exempt bond funds), except those which concentrate their investments in particular industries;

- (2) Life insurance, variable annuity, or guaranteed investment contracts issued by insurance companies;
- (3) Deposits in a bank, savings and loan association, credit union, or similar financial institution;
- (4) Real property used solely as the personal residence of an employee;
- (5) Bonds or other securities issued by the U.S. Government or its agencies.
- (b) This provision will be superseded when the Office of Government Ethics publishes its Executive Branch-wide exemptions and EPA will publish a document in the FEDERAL REGISTER revoking it at that time.

PART 4—UNIFORM RELOCATION ASSISTANCE AND REAL PROP-ERTY ACQUISITION FOR FEDERAL AND FEDERALLY ASSISTED PRO-GRAMS

AUTHORITY: Section 213, Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, as amended by the Surface Transportation and Uniform Relocation Assistance Act of 1987, Title IV of Pub. L. 100–17, 101 Stat. 246–256 (42 U.S.C. 4601 note).

§ 4.1 Uniform relocation assistance and real property acquisition.

Effective April 2, 1989, regulations and procedures for complying with the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970 (Pub. L. 91-646, 84 Stat. 1894, 42 U.S.C. 4601), as amended by the Surface Transportation and Uniform Relocation Assistance Act of 1987 (Pub. L. 100-17, 101 Stat. 246-255, 42 U.S.C. 4601 note) are set forth in 49 CFR part 24.

[52 FR 48023, Dec. 17, 1987 and 54 FR 8912, Mar. 2, 1989]

PART 6—PROCEDURES FOR IMPLE-MENTING THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE COUNCIL ON ENVIRON-MENTAL QUALITY ON THE NA-TIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY ACT

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6.100 Purpose and policy.